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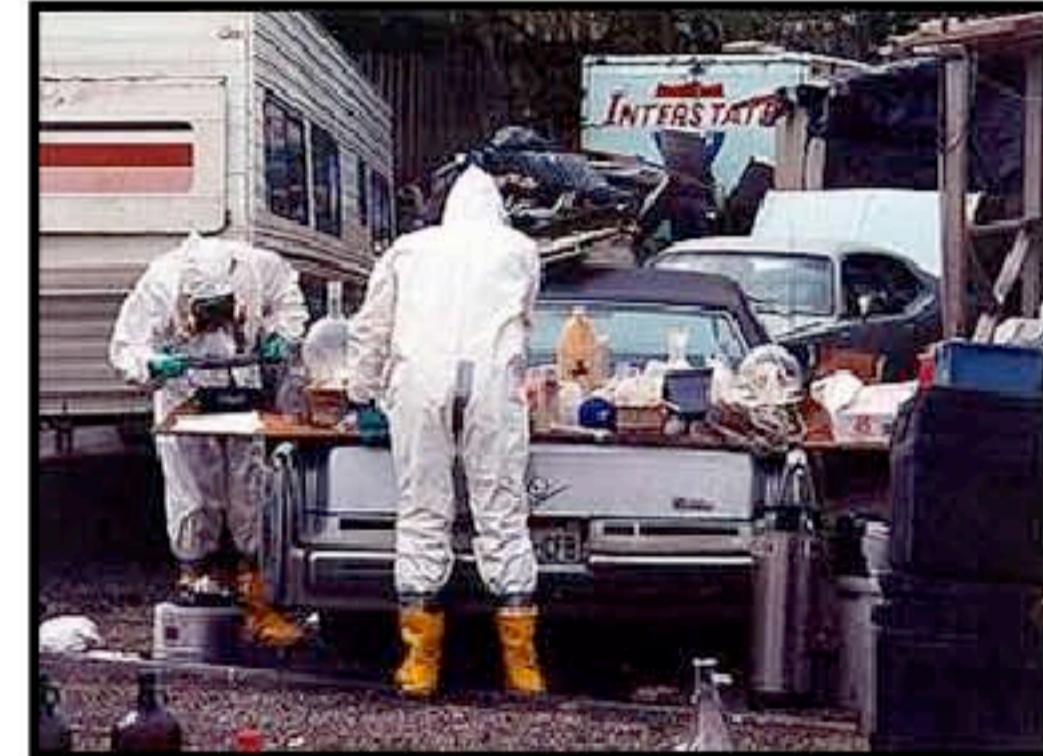
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Meth use and production is growing at an alarming rate in the United States. This growth is stressing the resources of communities.

Public health officials, law enforcement, emergency response, and mental health professionals are struggling to deal with the consequences of meth on users.

On top of this, communities and service providers are struggling with the environmental and health issues associated with clandestine meth labs both large and small.





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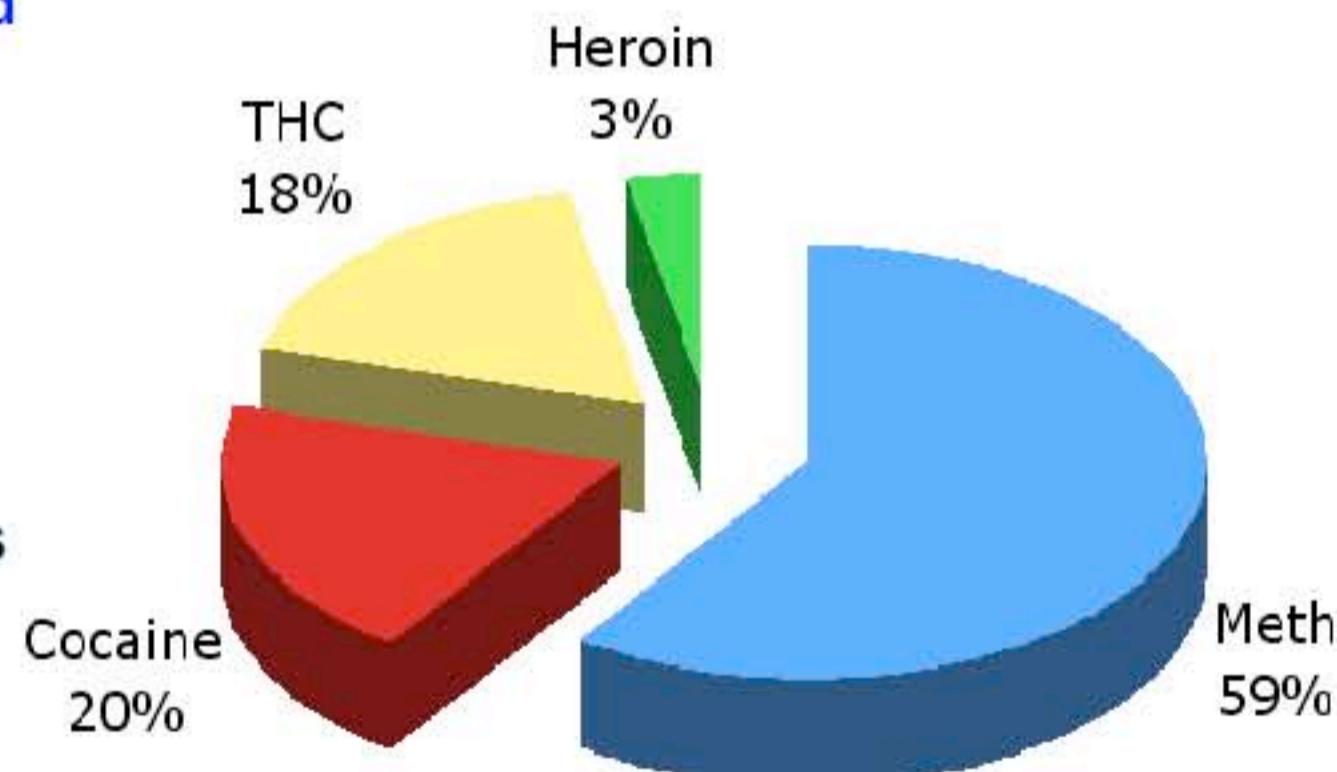
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Drug Use Percentages in the United States





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75% of counties reported that 40 to 50% of all arrests in the past 5 years were meth related.





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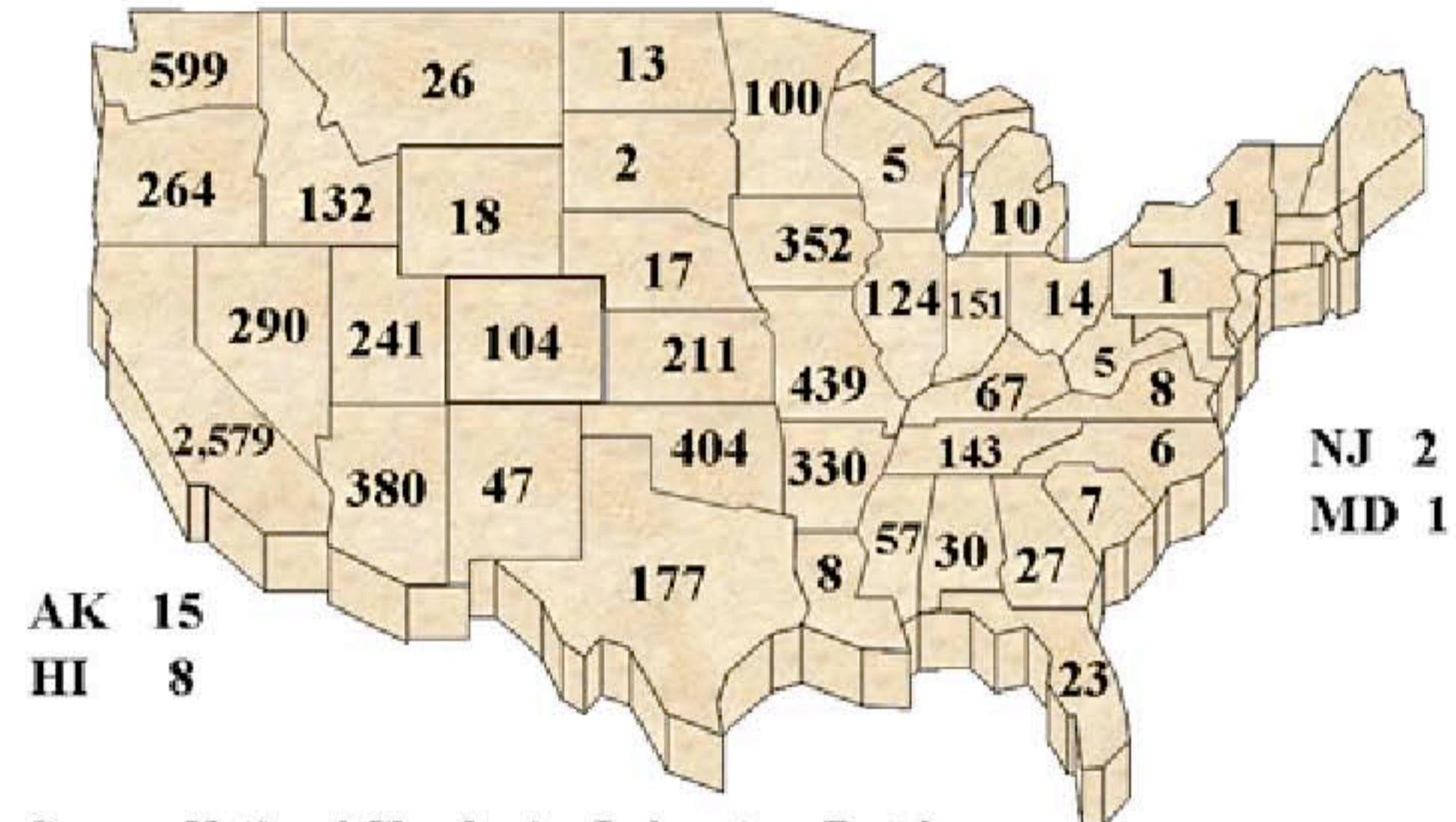
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Lab Seizures Nationwide

Total of All Meth Clandestine Laboratory Incidents Including Labs, Dumpsites, Chem/Glass/Equipment

Calendar Year 1999



Source: National Clandestine Laboratory Database

Total: 7,438 / 43 States Reporting

Dates: 01/01/99 to 12/31/99



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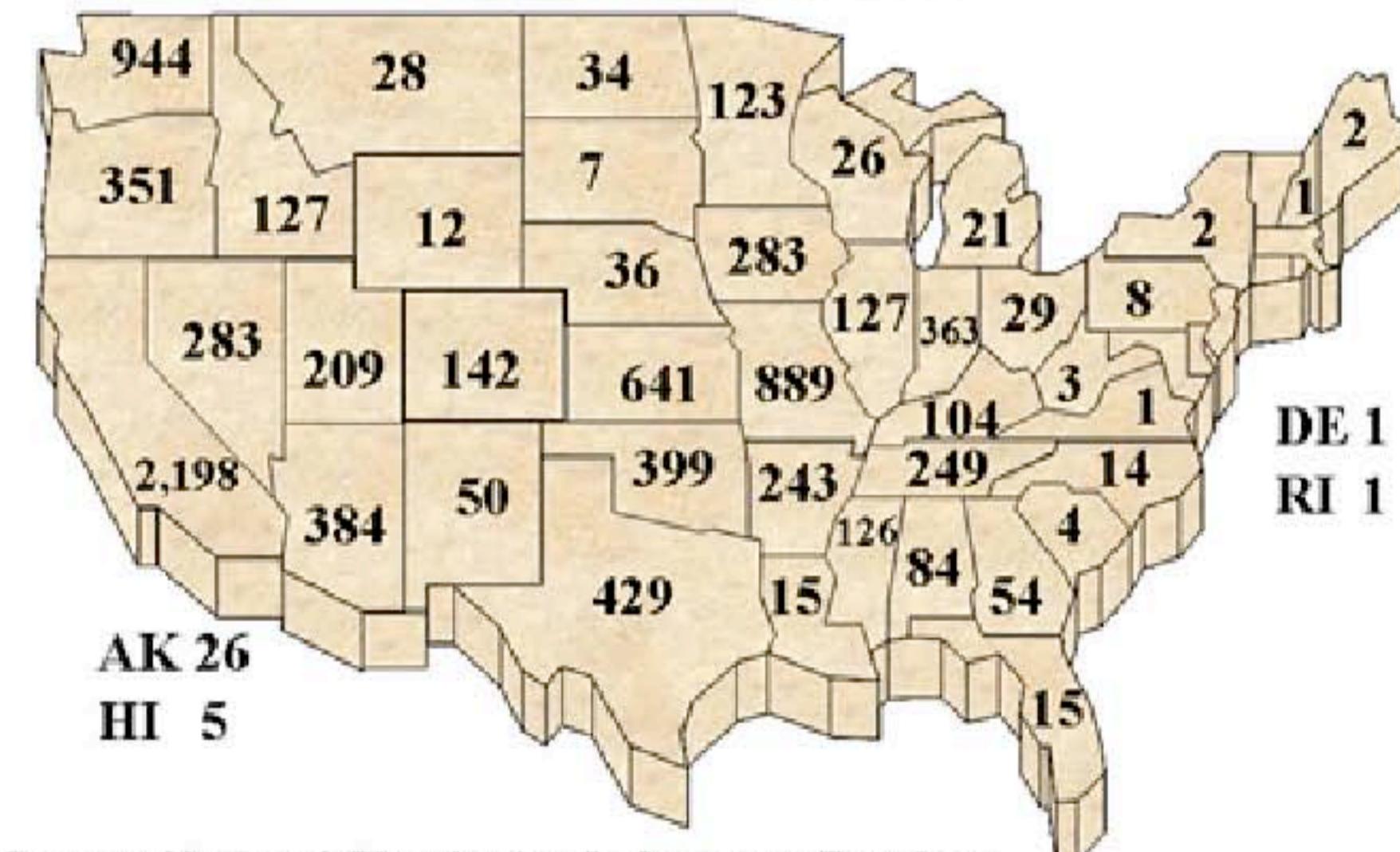
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**Total of All Meth Clandestine Laboratory Incidents
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Source: National Clandestine Laboratory Database
Total: 9,092 / 44 States Reporting
Dates: 01/01/00 to 12/31/00



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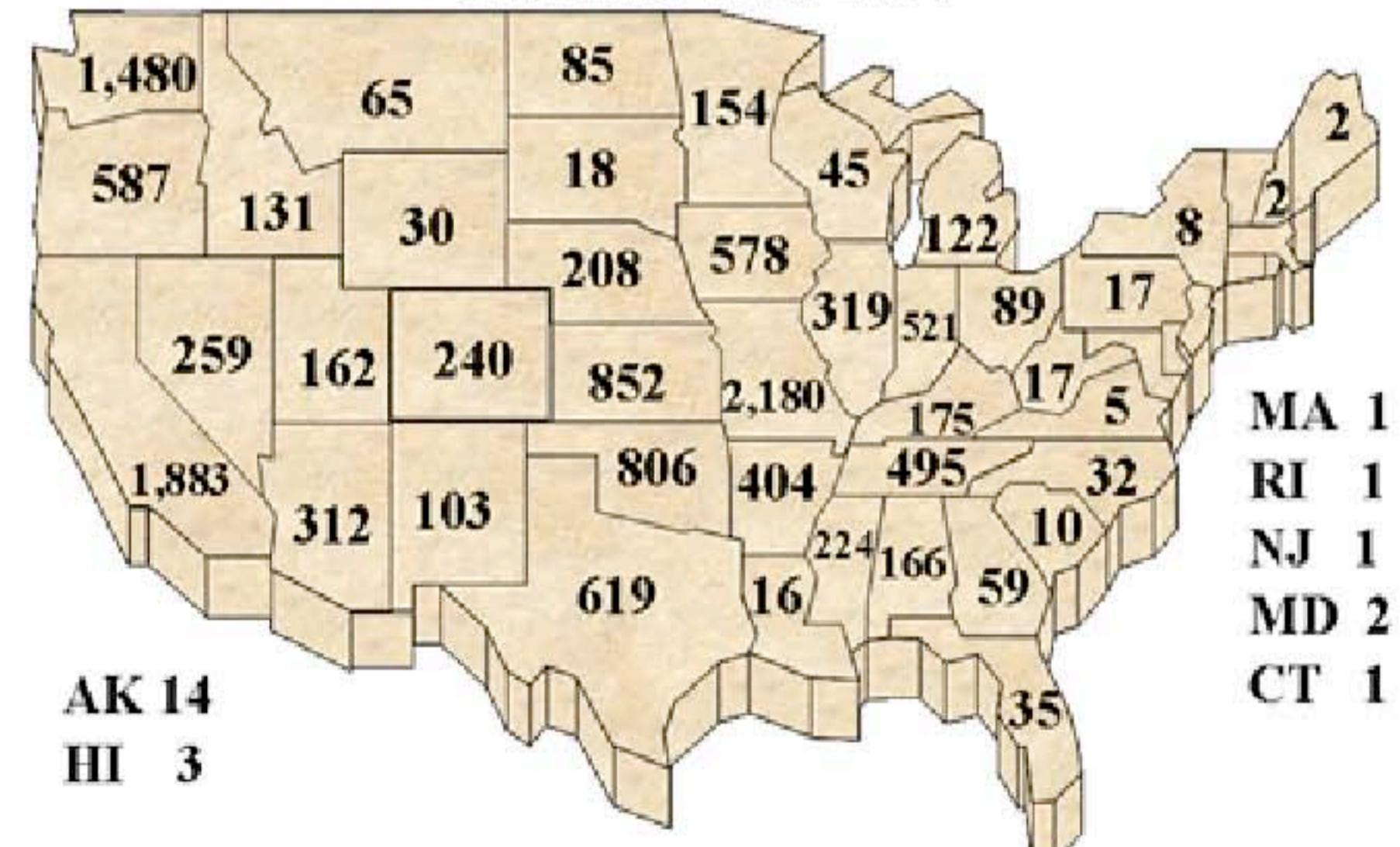
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Calendar Year 2001



Source: National Clandestine Laboratory Database

Total: 13,537 / 47 States Reporting

Dates: 01/01/01 to 12/31/01



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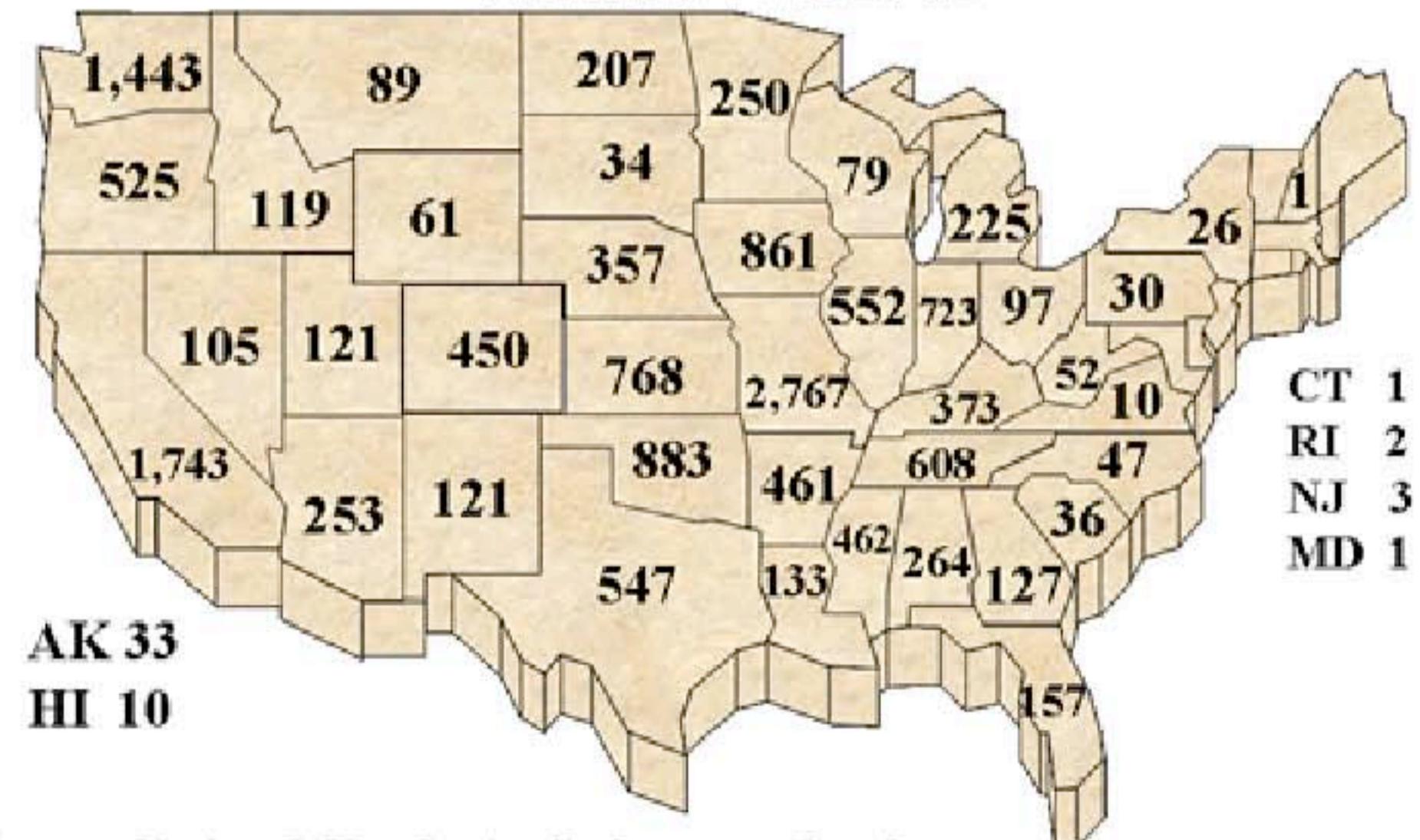
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Calendar Year 2002



Source: National Clandestine Laboratory Database

Total: 16,212 / 46 States Reporting

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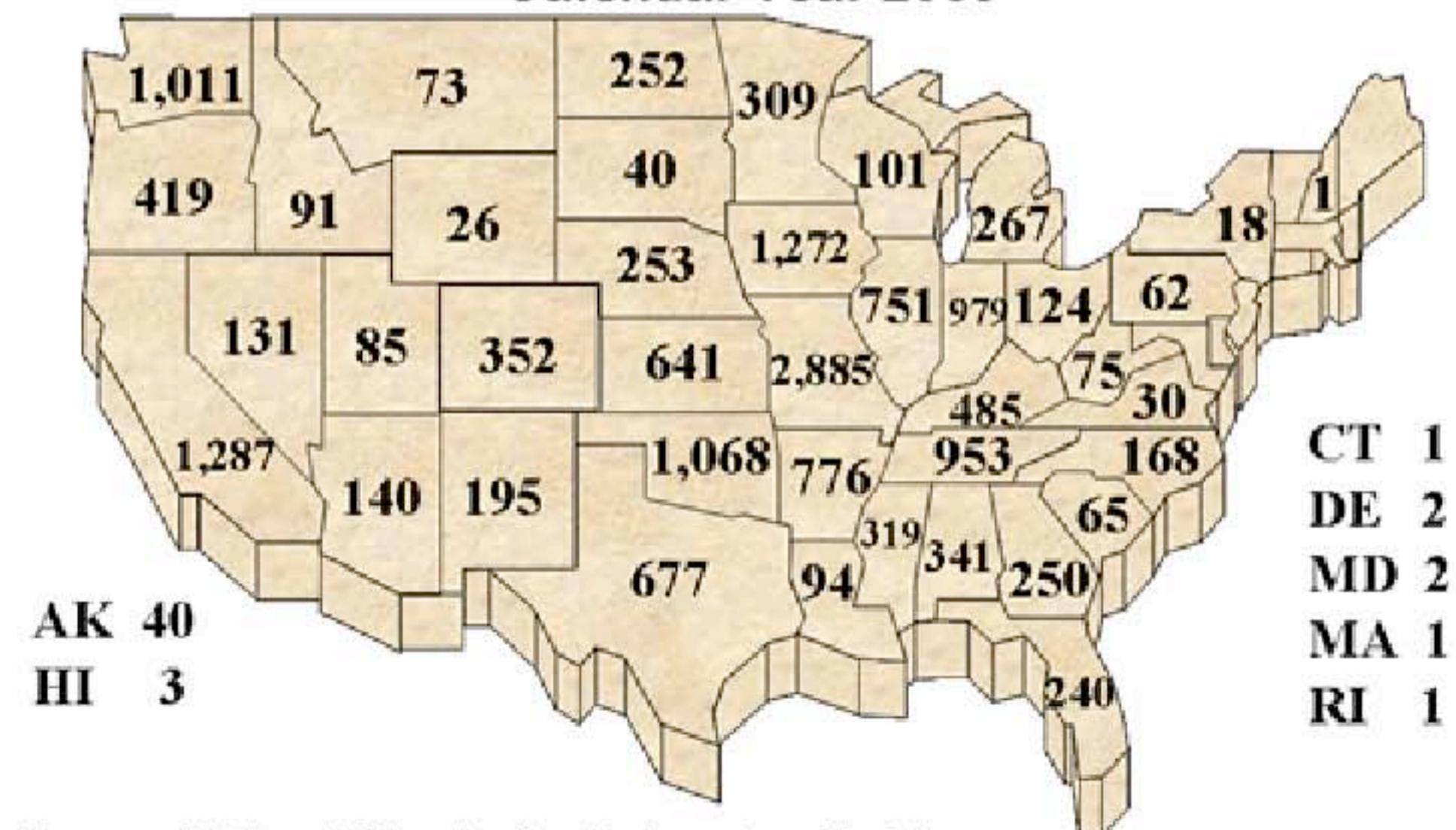
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Source: National Clandestine Laboratory Database

Total: 17,356/ 47 States Reporting

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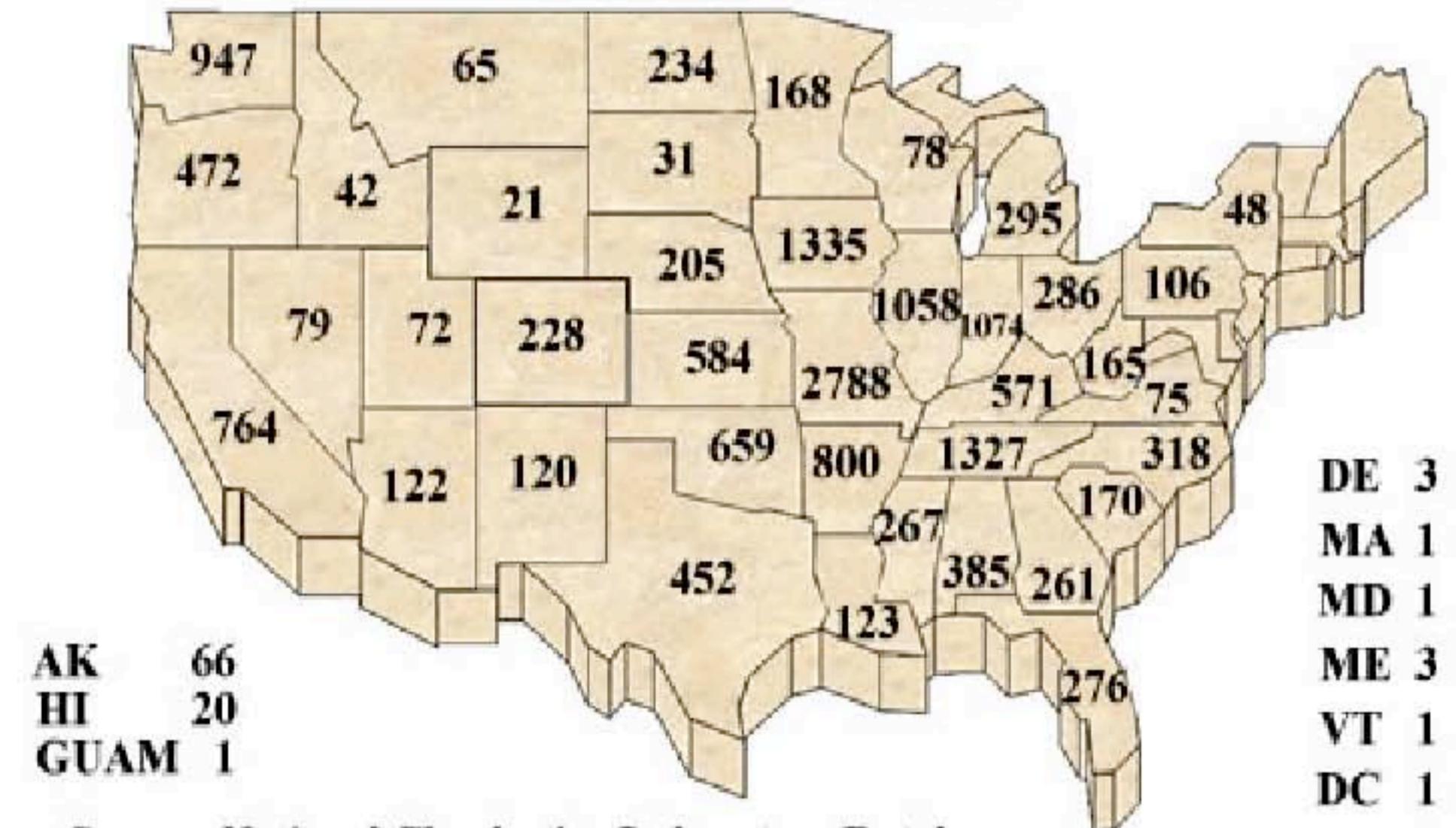
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Calendar Year 2004



Source: National Clandestine Laboratory Database
Total: 17,170

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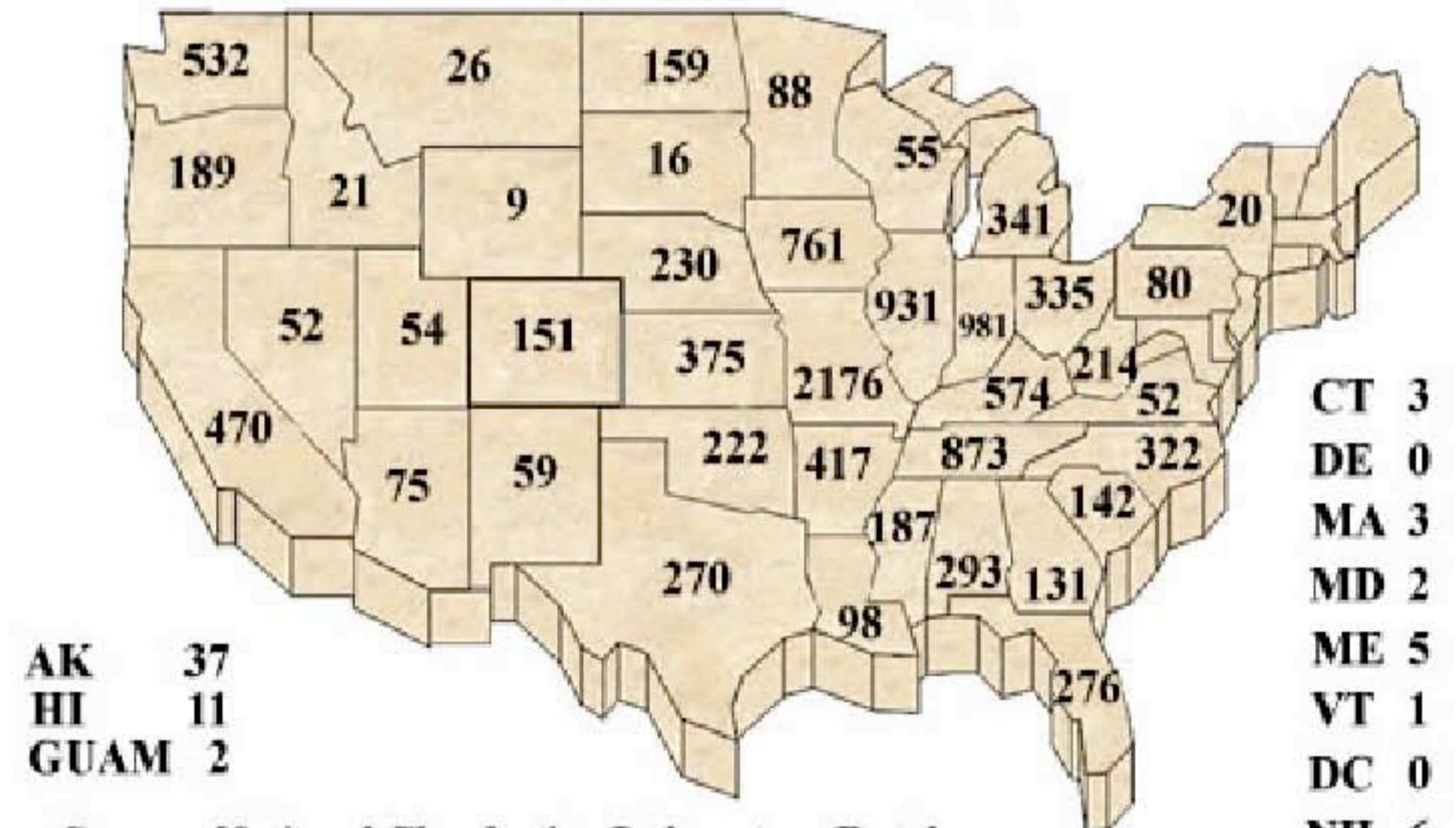
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Calendar Year 2005



Source: National Clandestine Laboratory Database

Total: 12,484

Dates: 01/01/2005 - 12/31/2005

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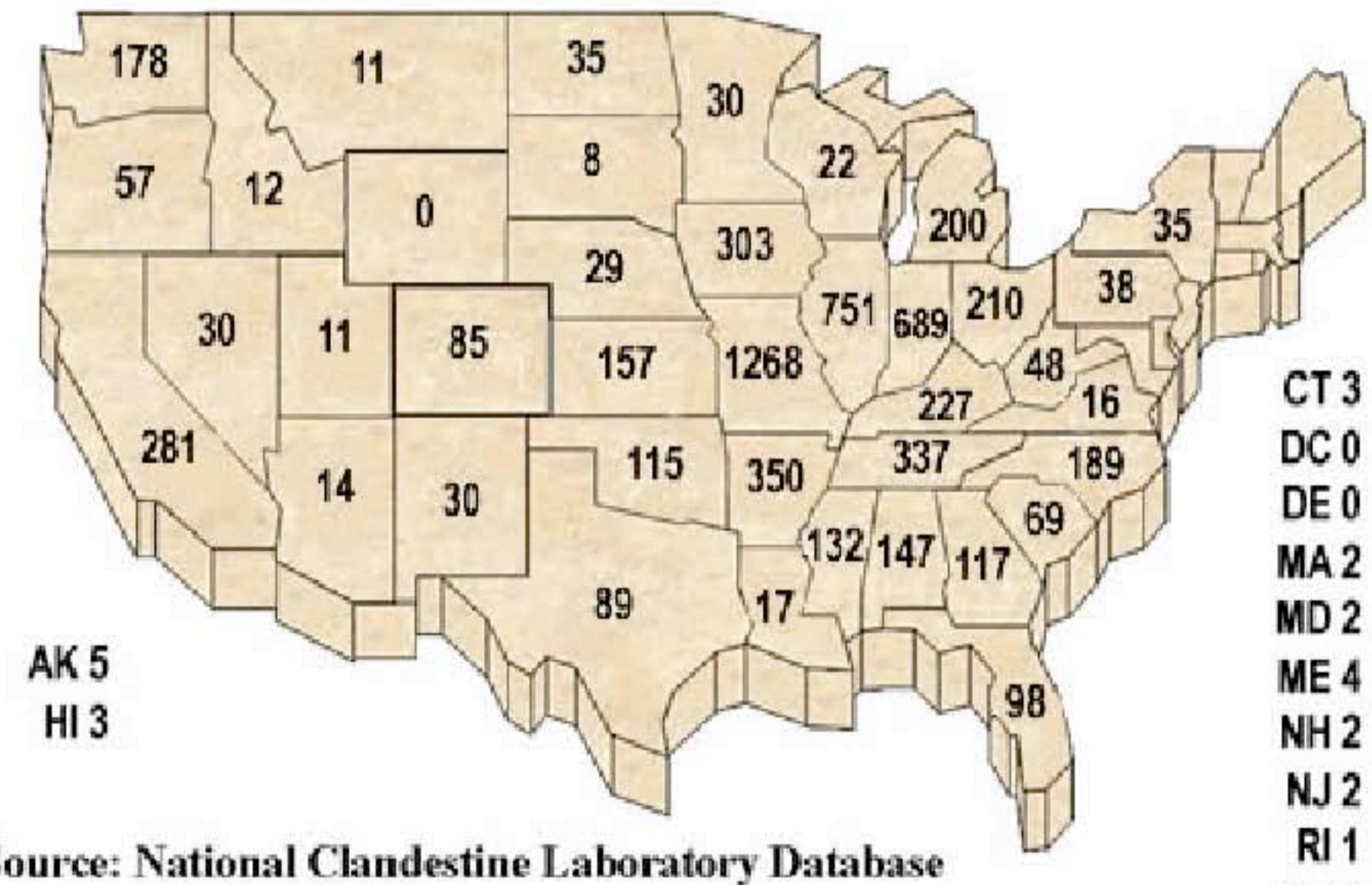
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Calendar Year 2006



Source: National Clandestine Laboratory Database

Total: 6,435

Dates: 01/01/2006 - 12/31/2006

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